

RESERVE NEW YEAR'S TABLE, BUT GO EASY ON THE BEER

New York, Aug. 7.—After looking through their cellars, cafe and hotel-keepers figured today they now had in stock just about enough wine to last until the big splurge of New Year's eve.

After that, if the war continues and France is cut off, New York will have to get along wineless.

Those who drink German imported beer are the ones who are worrying for the supply now on hand is barely enough for six weeks at the ordinary rate of consumption.

BITS OF WAR NEWS

London.—Cables connecting Russian embassy with St. Petersburg ceased working yesterday.

London.—House of commons asked by Premier Asquith to authorize recruiting of half a million additional soldiers.

Paris.—Officially announced Norway will defend neutrality in spite of all threats from Germany.

Plymouth, Eng.—Steamer Tubania with gold from South Africa for Hamburg taken by destroyer in channel yesterday.

Cherbourg, France.—French mine boat Pluton captured German tramp steamer of 5,000 tons.

TORRIO AND VANILLE INDICTED

The grand jury indicted John Torrio and Roxie Vanille jointly for assault with intent to kill and returned another indictment against Torrio as an accessory to the shooting of Cha. Sieverson in the levee battle.

The grand jury blamed the police of the 22d st. and Cottage Grove av. stations for their inability to indict the pair for murder, declaring that their effective opposition to the obtaining of evidence in the shooting affair prevented an indictment for the killing.

They declared that the police had attempted a frame-up to put the

blame on morals men for the death of Serg't Birns. The jury recommended the removal of most of the officers in the two police districts.

The first shot in the levee battle came from the crowd following the morals men, the jury decided.

OH! BLUBBER!

By Jim Manee.

When you're hungry in the summer
And it's hot.
When the blazing sun's a hummer
And you've got
A thirst that's mighty big
And you'd like to take a swig—
Why, go ahead and do it.
Why not?

P. S.—April fool—I mean water!

CHICAGO GRAIN.—British victory report caused big rise in wheat. Corn and oats higher. Provisions up.

OAK PARK PEOPLE KICK

Frederick Bringle, representing the village of Oak Park, will appear before the board of review to protest against the amount of personal property scheduled by the Chicago & West Towns Railroad this year. Last year the road filed a schedule of \$100,000 and this year dropped it to \$43,981. It is charged that new cars have been added this year, which should bring the property above last year's schedule.

TODAY'S HEALTHOGRAM

The blood must be full of oxygen. So we must have plenty of fresh air. Breathe deeply each day for at least ten minutes, preferably in the morning when the air is at its best. Inhale through the nostrils. Exhale through the mouth.

WEATHER FORECAST

Fair Friday night and probably Saturday; somewhat higher temperature Saturday; light to moderate shifting winds, becoming southerly.